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MINNESOTA BULLETIN NO. 300-6-35

SUBJECT- CPA – Transfer of Compliance Slides

<u>Purpose</u>. To notify the field offices that the Farm Service Agency (FSA) plans to transfer 35 Millimeter (mm) Slides to NRCS.

Expiration Date. August 31, 2006

<u>Background</u>. FSA currently stores in the County Offices the 35mm slides that are used for compliance activities. Advancements in digital imagery have made the 35mm slides obsolete for FSA purposes and they no longer have a use for them. Because the slides contain information that is useful to NRCS in administering the highly erodible land and wetland compliance provisions of the Food Security Act of 1985, FSA proposes to transfer the slides to NRCS for storage.

In FSA Notice CP-604 (June 13, 2006), FSA notified State and County Offices that they are authorized to transfer the slides to NRCS field offices, but that the County Office must retain the slides if NRCS declines the transfer. NRCS field offices should work with the appropriate FSA County Offices to facilitate the transfer of the 35mm slides, if desired.

If further information is needed, please contact Paul Flynn, State Resource Conservationist at (651) 602-7870.

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